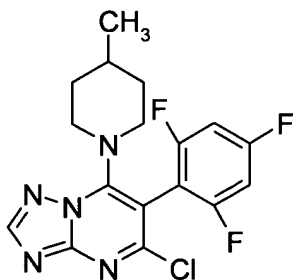


**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

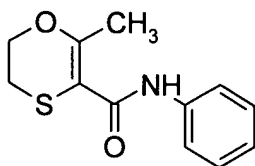
1. (Currently Amended) A fungicidal mixture ~~for controlling rice pathogens~~, which mixture comprises

- 1) ~~[[the]]~~ triazolopyrimidine derivative of ~~[[the]]~~ formula I:



and

- 2) carboxin of ~~[[the]]~~ formula II,



in a synergistically effective amount.

2. (Original) The fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 1 comprising the compound of the formula I and the compound of the formula II in a weight ratio of from 100:1 to 1:100.
3. (Currently Amended) A fungicidal composition comprising a liquid or solid carrier and ~~[[a]]~~ the mixture as claimed in claim 1.

4. (Currently Amended) A method for controlling rice-pathogenic harmful fungi, which comprises treating the fungi, their habitat or the plants, the soil or the seed to be protected against fungal attack with an effective amount of the compound of the formula I and the compound of the formula II as set forth in claim 1.
5. (Currently Amended) The method according to claim 4, wherein the compounds of the formulas I and II are applied simultaneously, that is jointly or separately, or in succession.
6. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 4, wherein the mixture is applied in an amount of from 5 g/ha to 2000 g/ha.
7. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 4, wherein the harmful fungus *Pyricularia oryzae* is controlled.
8. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 4, wherein the mixture is applied in an amount of from 1 to 1000 g/100 kg of seed.
9. (Previously Presented) Seed comprising the mixture as claimed in claim 1 in an amount of from 1 to 1000 g/100 kg.
10. (Currently Amended) ~~The use of the~~ A process for preparing a fungicidal composition comprising:

extending the compound of the formula I and the compound of the formula II as set forth in claim 1 for preparing a composition suitable for controlling rice pathogenic harmful fungi with at least one solvent and/or at least one carrier.

11. (Currently Amended) A fungicidal composition comprising a liquid or solid carrier and [[a]] the mixture as claimed in claim 2.
12. (Currently Amended) [[The]] A method wherein the compounds of the formulas I and II as set forth in claim 1 are applied simultaneously, that is jointly or separately, or in succession.
13. (Currently Amended) [[The]] A method wherein the mixture as claimed in claim 1 is applied in an amount of from 5 g/ha to 2 000 g/ha.
14. (Currently Amended) [[The]] A method wherein the mixture as claimed in claim 2 is applied in an amount of from 5 g/ha to 2 000 g/ha.
15. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 5, wherein the harmful fungus *Pyricularia oryzae* is controlled.
16. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 6, wherein the harmful fungus *Pyricularia oryzae* is controlled.

17. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 5, wherein the mixture is applied in an amount of from 1 to 1000 g/100 kg of seed.
18. (Currently Amended) [[The]] A method wherein the mixture as claimed in claim 1 is applied in an amount of from 1 to 1000 g/100 kg of seed.
19. (Currently Amended) [[The]] A method wherein the mixture as claimed in claim 2 is applied in an amount of from 1 to 1000 g/100 kg of seed.
20. (Previously Presented) Seed comprising the mixture as claimed in claim 2 in an amount of from 1 to 1000 g/100 kg.